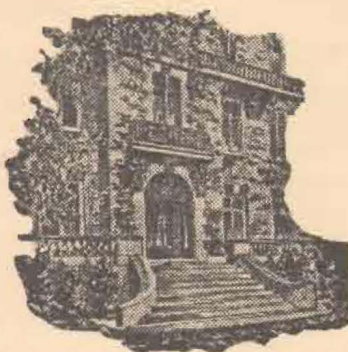


# Bryant Alumni



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## PRESIDENT JACOBS HONORED

The honorary degree of Doctor of Education was conferred upon President Jacobs by the Rhode Island College of Education in June, for his valuable contribution to the educational life, and social services activities, of Rhode Island.

Alumni returning to Bryant for the first Post-war Reunion on November 1 will find not only many more new buildings and an enrollment of about 2,000 but also a Faculty of sixty-two members. Many of these were then on the faculty when the alumni attended Bryant. Returning to the faculty this year after several years' absence is R. Lucien Appleby. Mr Appleby was one of the most popular instructors at Bryant for several years and returning alumni will be glad of the opportunity to meet him again and revive old memories of the days when they were students under him.

Emma Cummings, an early graduate of Bryant, was admitted to the Rhode Island Bar in May. Miss Cummings, who was a Court stenographer in the Rhode Island Superior Court from 1925 to 1943, is also a member of the Massachusetts Bar and of the American Bar Association.

Even Homer nodded, but did not seem to lose his exalted place in the sun. But let the Editor of the Alumni Bulletin as much as blink let alone nod and everyone calls attention to the error, and calls and calls and calls.

In the last issue of the Alumni Bulletin the Editor got a little mixed in her dates—as what girl doesn't now and then. Ruth Troendle, '42, the Bulletin said, has been Mrs. Maurice La Réau since 1933. Obviously it should have been '43, not '33.

## FIRST POST-WAR REUNION SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Saturday, November 1, is the new date set for the first Post-War Alumni Reunion. In the previous issue of the Alumni Bulletin the date was given for October, but inability to get an earlier reservation for the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel ballroom and foyer, made it necessary to postpone the event to this later date—NOVEMBER 1.

The day will begin with Registration from 12 o'clock noon to 1:30—in South Hall. As alumni arrive and register, they will be told where their particular class will be convening, so that they may go to that room to meet their classmates who are in attendance. A number of rooms have already been reserved for classes. These individual class reunions will be at 3 o'clock in the different rooms assigned.

At 2 o'clock, the new building, Memorial Hall, will be dedicated. This building, named in honor of Bryant men and women who were in World Wars I and II, is on Charles Field Street, between Hope and Brook Streets. President Jacobs, a prominent Government official and several trustees of the College will participate in the dedication service, and every man and woman in honor of whom the building is named will want to be present.

After the dedication there will be "Open House" at all the College buildings—including the dormitories and the new Administration Building—many of which are new since many of the alumni have been back to Bryant. And, also after the dedi-

cation, the individual class reunion mentioned above.

These Class Reunions, by the way, will be for the entire class—not limited to any one division, not just B. A.'s, Secretarial grads or Teacher-Training. Truly, in spirit, CLASS reunions.

At 7 o'clock will come the big Alumni Dinner and Reunion at the Sheraton-Biltmore. This is the former Biltmore Hotel. A recent change of management brought a change of name, but it is still the same fine hotel, with the same good food and service for which it was noted as the Biltmore when many alumni were in attendance at Bryant. A brief address of welcome by President Jacobs, and by Deans Gulski, Mercier and Wilbur will follow the dinner, and efforts are being made to secure a speaker from one of the big academic colleges to talk upon a subject of especial interest to Bryant alumni.

The election of officers for the Alumni Association will follow. The nominating committee will present the names of the candidates, two for each office. These names have been carefully chosen for ability, availability and popularity. They have been chosen from as many different classes as there are candidates—no two candidates from any one class—and, altho there are many alumni on the staff of the College, there is no candidate who in any way has any connection with the College. This was carefully done by the nominating committee so that it will be an alumni

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## DOWN THE MIDDLE AISLE

One of the most interesting weddings of Bryant alumni in recent weeks was that of John S. Renza, '43, and Marie Teigue, '43, Mr. Renza, who is now a member of the Bryant faculty, and Marie were classmates in the C.T.T. division for four years, and theirs was one of the campus romances that never faltered throughout the four years they were here and the years John spent in the Army. Members of the faculty and classmates of the happy pair were among the guests at the very pretty wedding in August.

Another faculty wedding in August was that of William Lambert, '38, who was married to Katherine Hauser. Mr. and Mrs. Lambert are living in Rumford, Rhode Island.

Cora Southworth, '45, has left her excellent position with Firestone, Fall River, and is now Mrs. John Grant.

Phyllis Spettigue, '44, was an August bride. With two other Bryant alumnae and Sigma Lambda Theta girls looking on to see that the knot was tied right (Norma Berry, '44 and Dorothy Johnson, '44, of New Britain). "Phil" was married to Mr. Lee Farnsworth, aeronautical engineer, and makes her home in Bridgeport.

Miss Emilia Bucolo, '44, of the Bryant College faculty, is authority for the statement that one of the prettiest weddings of the year was that of Elizabeth Burnham, '44, to Mr. Mervin C. Thresher, in East Hartford. Miss Bucolo ought to know, for she was one of the guests. Miss Bucolo and Mrs. Thresher were classmates and co-editors of the year book in their senior year. Mrs. Leonard Fisk—the former Janet Newell, '44, Betty's cousin, was matron of honor at the wedding in August.

Pauline Rockett, '43, was married on Labor Day to Mr. Walter Colerick.

Dennis Malloy, '47, one of the newest members of the Bryant accounting staff, is now out of circulation. He middle-aided with Miss Rita LeFebvre on September 20.

One Bryant College evening school alumna is among the recent brides and another soon will be. Hazel A. Erickson, '45, and William H. Jones, Jr., were married recently.

Patricia Oliva, '41, Evening Division, will be an October bride, that month chosen for her wedding to Mr. Manuel Chaves. Patricia is the girl who walked away with three special honors at Commencement in 1941—the Gold Medal for highest scholarship in her division, the Scholarship Key in Typewriting and the Scholarship Key in Shorthand.

Carolyn O'Sullivan, '41, is now Mrs. William J. McGrath and is living in Pawtucket.

Dorothy Barlow, another '45 alumna, was married recently to Mr. Charles H. E. Wahl.

Mildred E. Brown, '43, was a pretty June bride. Early that month she became the wife of Mr. Austin F. Matthews, Jr., a member of the faculty of Providence College. Mary Maggiamomo, '43, was one of Mildred's bridesmaids.

Betty Skirrow, '46, was a beautiful June bride. She is now Mrs. George J. Pihlkrantz.

Robert Raynor, '43, was another Bryant grad for whom June had special significance. On the 26th of that month, Bob married Miss Elaine M. Kindhart in Albany, New York.

Irene Matta, '46, is now Mrs. Joseph A. Souza and has set up her lares and penates in Pawtucket.

Two other Bryant alumni who have decided that two can live as cheap as one (Must be something wrong with that accounting course at Bryant) and are now Mr. and Mrs. They are Evelyn Golin, '44, and Paul Corich, '46.

Eugenia Lenartowicz, '37, is now Mrs. Warren B. Holland and has gone to Tulsa, Oklahoma, to live, where Mr. Holland is a student at the Spartan School of Aeronautics.

Sally Kneeland, '47, was a June bride. She is now Mrs. Charles S. Spencer. Two of Sally's Bryant pals, Emily Horsman, '46, and Arline Johnson, '46, were bridesmaids at the very pretty wedding.

Mary Halasz, '45, so writes Dorothy Olter, '46, her Bryant roommate, was a June bride. Mary, Dottie writes, was married in West Hartford to Andrew Weigert, Jr., with Dottie one of the wedding guests.

Soon after the May issue of the Alumni Bulletin, word was received of the wedding of Eleanore Linke, '43, to Mr. Edward L. Kaicher, in Bristol, Connecticut.

## ON THE BRINK

Betty Tomlinson, '46, will take the plunge next Spring. Betty writes that her fiancée is a veteran attending the University of Connecticut, but she does not tell us the lucky fellow's name. Betty is secretary with the Connecticut Automotive Trades Association, Inc., in Hartford. "A splendid job and a splendid man, what more could I ask for," writes happy Betty.

Josephine Gifford, '42, is another Bryant alumna whose engagement was recently announced. She will marry Mr. Floyd R. Copeley of Gibsonburg, Ohio. No immediate plans for the wedding have yet been made.

Another Alumna of '42 whose engagement was announced recently is Edna Atkinson who will marry Mr. Walter Bell in the near future.

The sunny smile of Mary Blandin, '45, has captured the heart of Robert R. Reed, of her home town of Attleboro, to whom her engagement was recently announced.

Julia Stawicki, '45, is another member of the College staff who is going around starry-eyed these days. Her wedding to Mr. Wm. Doboszinski is scheduled for October 25th.

Neva Neri, '47, received her diploma and an engagement ring the same day. At the Mothers' and Daughters' banquet of Sigma Iota Chi sorority at Top Hill on Class Day evening, Neva had a crowd that deep around her, waiting to congratulate her. Lawrence Connelli, a student at Bryant, is the lucky man.

Eleanor Becker, also '47, is also wearing a new sparkler, given to her by Michael Bannon, an Edgewood man now a student at Providence College.

Another Alumna of Bryant's most recently graduated class, Ruth Karsens, '47, is said to be wearing a new sparkler, placed on that certain figure by Curt Helbig, who was a student at Bryant last year.

Betty Babcock, '47, and Mr. Raymond Keller of Westport, Connecticut, are "that way" about each other. Their engagement was announced in early September.

By the time this issue of the Alumni Bulletin is received, another member of the College faculty will probably be a bride. Miss Alice Hines, '41, has set October 4 as the date of her marriage to Mr. James J. McLaughlin. Miss Hines will continue

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## BRYANT'S BABY ALUMNI

Only four weeks since they graduated—as this issue of the Alumni Bulletin is being written—and already a great majority of the newest Bryant alumni are embarked upon the careers for which they prepared at Bryant.

Loren L. Daugherty and Mary Maryland are with the Plantations Bank, Providence.

Edith McDeed is teaching at North Providence High School.

Arnold Cleveland is with the Old Colony Cooperative Bank, Providence.

Alice Babcock, Patricia McNamee and Esther Noel are with the Providence Plumbing Supply Company.

Marion Maguire is teaching in the East Providence High School.

Patricia McGarry is Secretary to Mr. Armond Cote, Secretary of State, at the State House, Rhode Island.

Lucille Beebe is with the Colt Patent Fire Arms Manufacturing Company in Hartford, Connecticut.

Walter Brosseau and Dorothy Berkshaw are with Comery, Davison and Jacobson, Certified Public Accountants, Providence.

Muriel Blain, Dennis Malloy and June Robinson stayed right on at their Alma Mater, the latest additions to the greatly increased Bryant College staff.

Melina DeLisa also took a college job—Trinity College in Hartford, Connecticut.

Ida Cocce is with the Charlton Publishing Co.

Marion Senior is at the Lincoln School, Providence.

Claire Jackson is secretary to the comptroller of the Providence Paper Company.

Harriet Dexter is Secretary-Receptionist for Dr. Kenneth Burton, Providence.

Dorothy Camara is with the Rumford Chemical Company, Rumford, Rhode Island.

Gloria De Amicis is secretary in one of the laboratories of the General Electric Company, where her love of chemistry plus her Bryant training has given her just the kind of position she wanted.

Margaret Amidon is secretary to Osmer C. Fitts, Attorney, in Brattleboro, Vermont.

Ethel Machon has a fine position with the American Bitumuls Company, East Providence, only a few

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## HERE AND THERE WITH BRYANT ALUMNI

Bob Manchester, '45 has been on the sick list but is now well on the mend. No more popular fellow ever graduated from Bryant, so its good news to everyone who knew him that he is so well along the road to recovery. Bob's pretty sister, Maureen, '47, is that voice with the smile heard over the College 'phones.

Sylvia Goodman, '41, and James Erlin, '41, are now Mr. and Mrs. The knot was tied last December at a pretty candlelight ceremony, with all the trimmings.

Emery (Babe) D'Auteuil, '41, is now in the Social Security division, in Norfolk, Virginia. Babe is married and has a son about ten months old.

Dina Di Massimo, '41, is Field Representative of the Blue Cross in Berkshire County, which takes in most of western Massachusetts.

Viola Carnelli, '42, is now Mrs. John T. Wells of Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hastings, '40 (Helen Lynch, '41) and Robert III, are living in Pawtucket.

"Seems a far cry from pounding a typewriter to changing diapers", writes Evelyn McCarty, '42 (Mrs. James P. Nolan). "But it's wonderful. The king of our home is Kevin James, who arrived on April 11—all 8½ pounds of him. And soon we will be in our new home in Somerset. Great news about the coming Reunion. I must hunt up a baby sitter for the big event".

Pauline Scott, '40, is Mrs. Ernest L. Anderson, Jr., '47.

Frances Cohen, '44, is now Mrs. Jacob Komros. After a pretty candlelight service in the Narragansett Hotel, Frances and her new husband, who is attending the Dental School in the University of Maryland, left for a honeymoon and their new home in Baltimore.

Gertrude McKinne, '40, writes the Bulletin that she saw the old year out in a very special way. On the last day of 1946, she said "I do" to Mr. Philip G. Pomeroy, Brown alumnus, and is now living in Rehoboth, Massachusetts. "Please keep the Alumni Bulletin coming", writes Gertrude, "I certainly do enjoy receiving it, and the best of luck for the coming Reunion. I know it will be a grand day".

Another alumna, Marjorie Perkins, '33, also sends in a change of name and address. Since 1940, Marjorie has been Mrs. Clarence Nightingale and with Mr. Nightingale and two little Nightingales, a boy of six years and a girl of 2½ years, lives in Newington, Connecticut. "The Bulletin is always very welcome", writes Marjorie, "and I do hope to come to the Reunion if possible."

Josephine Santro, '45, is on the secretarial staff of the Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel.

"Mike" Dwyer's ('47) likable smile is winning friends and influencing salary at the United States Rubber Company in Bristol.

Dorothy Macomb, '45, back from her government job in Washington, D. C., is now on the secretarial staff of WFCI, radio station in Pawtucket and Providence.

Mary Caccia, '42, has been Secretary to the Chief of the Advertisement and Guidance Section of the Veterans Administration, in Providence, since she graduated and writes that her duties have brought her in contact with many Bryant alumni who are veterans of World War II.

Rhoda Levine, '41, is now Mrs. Ralph Berwick and lives in Meriden, Connecticut.

"That sure was good news about another Bryant Reunion", writes Katherin Beardslee, '38. "I attended the last one and words can't express what a wonderful time I had".

Katherine, by the way, has been Mrs. John R. Sunden since 1940 and lives in Bridgeport. "I look forward to receiving the Bulletin", she writes. "But as Shirley Noyes, my classmate, was quoted as saying in the last issue, the Class of '38 is not heard from often enough".

Irene Townley, '31, is another alumna who writes how much she enjoys the Bulletin but says it would be nice to have more news about the classes of '30 and '31. Irene has been Mrs. Chon Day for the past thirteen years and has three little Days, three boys aged 12, 8 and 2½. Mr. Day is an artist. It is his clever cartoons we see in The New Yorker, the Saturday Evening Post, Collier's and a lot of other of the leading magazines.

Helen Parzych, '33 has very kindly sent in the names of five Bryant alumnae who have not been receiving the Bulletin. This cooperation is appreciated and the names and addresses of these alumnae have been

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## REUNION

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association—not a college-run organization. The nominating committee is headed by Hazel Bostrom, '20 and other members are William Cloos, '37; Roger Lambert, '36, Alice Hines, '41; and Edward Clegg, '46.

While the voting is being done and the votes counted, there will be group singing, talking with old friends and instructors, or dancing. When the election returns are in, the new President will make a brief address, outlining any plans he may have formulated, and receive any suggestions that may be forthcoming. Whatever is left of the evening then may be spent in dancing or mingling among former classmates.

This, then, is a brief outline of the plans for the Day.

### A FEW IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER

THE DATE: NOVEMBER 1.

DINNER TICKETS WILL BE \$3.50. The sales and service tax, music, identification ribbons and other incidentals of the day will be borne by the College.

Because of the expected big crowd, it is regretfully announced that alumni *only* may attend the Reunion. At former Reunions, many husbands, wives and sweethearts of alumni attended, but this first postwar Reunion will unquestionably break all Reunion attendance records, and will probably tax the capacity of the Sheraton-Biltmore Ballroom and Foyer. Already—since the last issue of the Alumni Bulletin—there has been a flood of enthusiastic letters from alumni, signifying their intention of attending the Reunion and asking for details. So much happened to Bryant alumni during and since the war, and so much has happened at Bryant, that every one wants to "catch up" on the news and to see all their old friends and their College, and it looks like a CROWD! So—no husbands, wives or sweethearts this time. Sorry.

And, most important of all to remember, THE DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS IS OCTOBER 22. Reservations MUST be accompanied by check or money order.

This positive deadline is important because the hotel must know how many dinners they will be required to serve; so that we may know if the Ballroom and Foyer of the hotel will

be sufficiently large to accommodate all who want to come to the Reunion; so tables may be planned for the different classes; and countless other things to be planned.

Likewise it is important that your name is registered as planning to attend, so that your classmates who may be inquiring about you will know if you are coming and, if you are having a special class reunion in the afternoon, will know where it is being held so that these classmates may look there for you.

The first of the reservations has been made for the class of 1942, Eddie Alger—who is remembered as one of the most enthusiastic and most popular members of his class—is the first to ask for a room to be held for a reunion for his class sometime in the afternoon. Room 1A in South Hall, first floor is assigned, and Eddie says he would appreciate receiving suggestions from his classmates that will help make the reunion a success. He asks for cards or letters to be sent to him to: E. R. Alger, Jr., 12 Mowry Avenue, Lonsdale, Rhode Island. Telephone: Blackstone 0073-R. With Eddie Alger at the helm, there is one class reunion that will be a success.

Room 1D in South Hall has been reserved for the class of 1944, with Doris Cohen and Leslie Kirker making the reservation. 3 o'clock is the time for the get-together of this class.

Marion Wanelik, '38, believes the members of her class will want to convene for a special class reunion before the big all-alumni Reunion in the evening on November 1. Room 1E in South Hall, has been reserved for this class. 38ers should get in touch with Marion, who is now Office Manager of the Federal Chain Company in Providence. Letters to her, care of the Alumni Bulletin editor, sent to the College, will be forwarded promptly.

The Class of 1945 will meet in Room 3A. This was one of the wartime classes, but it made up in spirit for what it lacked in numbers, and probably every member of the class will be on hand. Joseph Dynamo Rocchio made the reservation for his class.

And if you come up to the College for the Dedication of Memorial Hall and for any individual class reunions, or to see what your College looks like today, be sure to look at the Bulletin Board at the foot of the stairs in South Hall. A large portion of that

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carefully checked so that they should receive the Bulletin hereafter. Helen is now Mrs. Dobrydnio of Greenfield, Massachusetts.

George F. Long, Jr., '42, is now with Kennecott Wire Company in Pawtucket, but makes his home in Providence. He and Walter Palmer, Jr., '43, live within a few houses from each other. Walter is now Accountant with Industrial Papers, also in Pawtucket, and is one of the many Bryant alumni who call their college when they need a secretary, accountant or other office assistants.

Marguerite Adams, '42, is now Mrs. Walter J. Hines of Riverside, Rhode Island.

Don Mullen, '43, is now with Minna Lee, Importer, in Miami, Florida, where his family has moved because of his mother's illness. Don's cousin, Tom Mullen, '34, is Comptroller of Burdine's, Miami's largest department store.

Beatrice Harrison, '39, has been Mrs. Earl C. Sparks, Jr., since 1942 and lives in Bedford, Massachusetts, with Mr. Sparks, a Rhode Island State College alumnus, and their two little Sparks, a boy of four and a little girl of two years.

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to teach at Bryant. Her sister, Dorothy, also '41, is also a member of the Bryant faculty.

Marjorie Kovner, '44, is wearing the sparkler of Mr. David Rose of Brookline.

Alumni of '40 are sending congratulations to Mr. Howard W. Wheelwill of Cranston for having won a promise to marry him from Winifred A. Kerr, '40.

Sheila Ross, '46, will be wedded to Mr. Russell E. Hutton of Pawtucket.

1947 is an eventful year for Bernice Connell. She graduated from Bryant with the Scholarship Key and her engagement was announced to Mr. Albert E. Hughes, Jr., of East Providence.

Board will be given over to Alumni notices on that day—where such and such a class is meeting, who is looking for who, and so on. If you yourself have any notice you want to put on the Bulletin Board that Day pin it up where you see the other Alumni notices.



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miles from her West Barrington home.

Joseph Sorbo has gone to New York to continue his education at the American Academy of Embalming and Mortuary Research.

Hope Bergquist has moved to California.

Edward Gaynor is with the Safety Car Heating and Lighting Company of New Haven, in the Cost Accounting department.

Margaret Greenan is with the Franklin Process.

Dorothy Mullooly is on the secretarial staff of the Providence National Bank.

Ruth DeFusco is on the staff of Associated Specialties, Pawtucket.

Beverly Moore is secretary to Mr. James Buckley, Attorney, of Springfield, Massachusetts—near her Ludlow home. This is a step toward the court stenographic goal for which Beverly's 200 shorthand speed, and all her other wonderful qualifications, fit her.

Eleanor Miller is secretary to the Sales Manager of the Electroloy Company in Bridgeport, Connecticut.

John Champlin is in the Accounting department of the Spray Coffee & Spice Company, Denver, Colorado.

Edward Le Page is another '47 alumnus who has gone to Denver. He took a BIG batch of letters of introductions for interviews with personnel directors of important Denver firms, but he has not yet reported to the Placement Bureau.

Verna Swenson is secretary with Barlow & Barlow, Patent Attorneys, Providence.

Salvatore Tirocchi is accountant of the St. Angelo Motors Company, Barrington, Rhode Island.

Joseph Damon is with Chance Voight Aircraft, Stratford, Connecticut.

Miriam Coutu is with B. M. C. Durfee Bank, Fall River, Massachusetts.

Helen Perry is with Gustav White, Inc., Newport, Rhode Island.

Phyllis McQuade is with Liberty Electric Co., Providence.

Robert Le Blanc is with Harris & Gifford, Certified Public Accountants, Providence.

Lois Moreland, another West Barrington girl, also has a fine position near her home, with the Industrial Trust Company, Warren.

Mary Magner is with the advertising firm of George Metcalf & Company, Providence.

Eileen Pickavant is secretary at the Crown Manufacturing Company, Pawtucket.

Earl P. Rounds not only has an exceptionally fine position as secretary to Mr. Francis Gilman, but has been given a car in which to travel from his home in Bristol to Mr. Gilman's beautiful estate at Rumstick Point, Barrington, Rhode Island. (Only about five miles!)

Virginia Remington has decided to fill a secretarial vacancy in the big dairy company owned by her family, in Hope, Rhode Island.

Beverly Swanson just has to walk about a minute from her home to her new position at the Socknosset School, Howard, Rhode Island.

Alice Tetreault is with the Providence Washington Insurance Company.

Mary Tirrochi is the most recent Bryant addition to the secretarial staff of the Museum of the Rhode Island School of Design, where she will assist Elmina Malloy, Bryant '36 who has just moved up to another position there.

Hortense Silva is secretary in the Admissions Office in Brown University.

Helen Werner is secretary in the Foreign Language Department in Brown University.

Virginia Barber is with W. E. Davis, Providence.

Edwin Cockcroft is with the Rhode Island Hospital Trust Bank, in the Tax department, where Joan Todd, '46, also is "making good".

Edward Kozon is with the Horton Manufacturing Company, in his home town of Bristol, Connecticut.

George Barsalou is with Gerber Jewelers, Holyoke. James La Russa is with the Springfield branch of the same firm.

Catherine Coombs is teaching at the New Milford High School, Connecticut.

Audrey Cave is with the Builders Iron Foundry, Providence.

Manuel Pinto is with the Flynn Hardware Company in his home city, Attleboro.

Mary Correa has a civil service position with the Navy at Newport.

John Krupa is with the Coca Cola Bottling Company, Providence.

Beatrice Hirt is with the Merchants' Cold Storage Company, Providence.

Eleanor Barao is secretary to Mr. Samuel L. Lippman, Attorney, in her home city, New Bedford.

Eleanor Becker is with the Y. M. C. A. in Providence.

Betty Robinson is another girl working a long way from home. She is with the Hammill Dahl Company of Providence.

Fred Johnson is with the Lehigh Valley Coal Company in Springfield, Massachusetts.

Harry Williams is with Blanding & Blanding, wholesale and retail druggists of Providence.

Walter Gibbons is with Rex & Fielding, Certified Public Accountants, Providence.

Elcora Schaefer is with Hogan & Hogan, Attorneys, Providence.

Isabelle Wheeler is with the Taylor Box Company.

Ernest L. Anderson is with Brown & Sharp Manufacturing Company.

Catherine Varr is teaching at the Coventry High School, near her West Warwick home.

Margaret Flynn's silver medal, and Elizabeth Evan's scholarship key received at Commencement, won them positions on the teaching staff of their Alma Mater.

Hilda Teixeira is with the Chemical Products Company, East Providence.

Norma Francesconi is with the American Copper Sponge Company, Providence.

Jean Potter is with the Providence Engineering Works, Providence.

Etta Di Libero is on the secretarial staff of the Rhode Island Hospital.

Dorothy Bartoloni is with the Providence Chemical Company.

Lucille Rolletta is with the Community Fund Campaign, Providence.

Edna Menghi is with the Crown Sheet Metal Company, New London, Connecticut.

Marilyn Hojohn is going to teach in Oppenheim, near her home town in Johnstown, New York.

Eleanor Jankura is with Brennan, Hunt & Price, Attorneys Bridgeport.

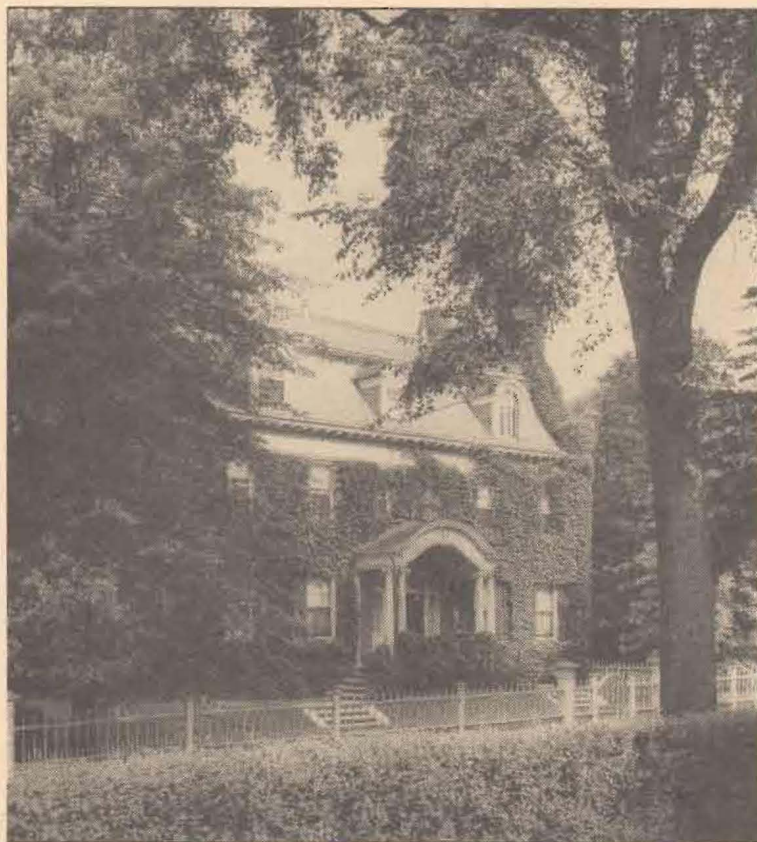
Seymour D. Cooper is working for his father in Fall River.

Donald Jane and William Bliven are continuing their education. William goes to Syracuse University, and Donald to the Pratt Institute in Brooklyn.

Ruth Karsteins is secretary to Dr. Willard O. Thompson, Chicago.



## BRYANT'S NEW ADMINISTRATION BUILDING



One of the most beautiful buildings added to Bryant College in recent years is the new ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, at 154 Hope Street, on the corner of Benevolent Street. This is the former Mrs. Robert Taft home and is considered one of the finest Colonial houses in Providence.

Bryant College bought this house a few months ago and on September 1 the Administration offices, with the exception of the Placement Bureau, were moved into the new building. The Placement Bureau remains in the location it has occupied for many years (except for a short wartime period when oil to heat the building was scarce) and which provides the convenience and privacy for employers so desirable.

On the first floor of the new Administration Building are the offices of President Jacobs, Vice President E. Gardner Jacobs, Dean of Veterans, Mr. Wilbur, and the Reception Room, all opening upon a beautiful hall.

Half way up the stairway, is the desk of President Jacobs' secretary, Mrs. Rita Cassells ('33) Hoey. On the second floor is the office of the Executive Secretary, Mr. Allan; of Mrs. Robinson, Dean of Women; of the secretaries of the Vice President, the Dean of Men and the Executive Secretary; and a Conference Room for staff meetings. A charming shaded little garden at the rear of the house is but one of many delightful features of this new Administration Building. Open on Alumni Reunion Day, by the way, with the welcome sign out for all alumni.

The College has also purchased the land at the corner of Hope and Benevolent Streets, diagonally across from the new Administration Building, where Tennis Courts will soon be installed. These two new courts, added to the one opened last Summer between Stowell and Salisbury Halls on Young Orchard Avenue will give the College three courts.

## HEIRS AND HEIRESES

The Stork made a return trip to the Bob Blakes home in Allenton, Rhode Island a few months ago, leaving a new son. Bob, '42, is now on the College staff, and Mrs. Bob is the former Elnora Burroughs, '42. The other member of the Blake household is a little girl.

It was also the second visit of the long-legged bird at the home of Mrs. Kenneth B. Caum, the former Mary Anna Jackson, '38, in Sewickley, Pennsylvania, in July. The new baby boy has a brother  $3\frac{1}{2}$  years old. Mary Anna and Mr. Caum are building a new home in Lock Haven, Pennsylvania, where Mr. Caum is Chief Radio Engineer.

It's a baby boy at the home of Mrs. Margaret R. Murphy, the former Genevieve M. Robinson, '35. A little girl of four years has also blessed the Murphy domicile, in Athol, Massachusetts.

Another blessed event of interest to Bryant alumni happened at the home of Willard Seaton, '39, and Mrs. Seaton, the former Ethel Person, '40, a few months ago. Auntie is Claire Seaton, '44, now secretary to the Vice President at Bryant.

Joanne, aged three months, is the new heiress at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand A. Dobras, in Seekonk, Massachusetts. Mama is the former Josephine N. Kolek, '45, and Auntie Helen Dobras, '39, is as proud as Punch of her new niece. Helen, by the way, spent 38 months in the Waves and at this time is about to enter law school in Boston.

Lee Weaver, '41, is another Bryant alumnus who has a new young man at his home. Lee's son joined the Weavers including little Miss Weaver a few months ago. Daddy is now a member of the Bryant faculty.

John Von Bodegom, '39, is another proud pappy. It's his second youngster.

The happy, but nervous, father was doing as well as could be expected when Wakeman Jennings, Jr., '43, was receiving congratulations upon the arrival of his first son, Wakeman the Third.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Chin Yee, of Jamaica, West Indies, have a little heiress, Paula Maureen, who arrived on July 8, according to an announcement sent by the proud parents to the Alumni Bulletin. Paula's mother is the former Elizabeth Lee, '46.